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AMEND Senate Bill No. 7001*

House Bill No. 7001

By adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection in Section 33, Section 3-6-304:

(___) No member of the general assembly, comptroller of the treasury, state treasurer, secretary of state, elected official in the executive branch, member of the governor's cabinet, cabinet level staff within the governor's office, shall be a lobbyist during the twelve-month period immediately following his or her departure from such office or employment.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting from Section 33, § 3-6-301(15), the language "or an employee of a department, agency or entity of state, county or municipal government;" and by substituting instead the following:

an employee of a department, agency or entity of county or municipal government;

AND FURTHER AMEND by adding the following language at the end of Section 33, § 3-6-301(15):

or an employee of a department, agency or entity of state government other than a legislative liaison for the department, agency or entity;

AND FURTHER AMEND by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection of Section 33, § 3-6-307:

(___) Notwithstanding any provision of this chapter to the contrary, an employee who serves as legislative liaison for a department, agency or entity of state government shall register as a lobbyist and shall comply with all lobbyist requirements imposed by this chapter, but shall be exempt from payment of the lobbyist registration fee as well as the occupational privilege tax on lobbyists imposed by § 67-4-1702(a)(1); and the liaison's department, agency or entity shall comply with all requirements imposed by this

chapter on employers of lobbyists, but shall be exempt from payment of the employer registration fee.